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Congresswoman Kay Granger Chairwoman House Committee on Appropriations H-307, the Capitol Washington, DC 20515 Congresswoman Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member House Committee on Appropriations 1036 Longworth House Office Building Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Village of Lindenhurst's Shore Road Bulkhead and Boardwalk Project in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Village of Lindenhurst, located at 430 South Wellwood Avenue, Lindenhurst, NY, 11757. The funding would be used to reconstruct approximately 1300 feet of failing bulkhead that has shown signs of collapsing into the adjacent Little Neck Creek Canal. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because there is concern that the separation of the asphalt from the bulkhead on Shore Road has created a potentially serious public safety issue, in that if the bulkhead is not repaired prior to another hurricane or nor'easter, sections of the road will be washed away, resulting in serious loss of property and expensive restoration costs.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by section 203 of the Stafford Act (42 U.S.C. 5133), as amended by Section 1234, National Public Infrastructure Pre-Disaster Hazard Mitigation, of the Disaster Recovery Reform Act (DRRA) of 2018.

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,

Mark.

ANDREW R. GARBARINO Member of Congress